Social and Personal

E ballroom of the Jefferson Hotel last evening was thronged with a brilliant crowd of gor gowned women and men of Richmond's most fashionable society to attend the Charity Ball, and with the background of trailing vines and festooned flowers over the windows and walls, presented one of the handsomest assemblages in many well known society women, and a great many distinguished guests from distance were in attendance.

which was the feature of the evening. It was led by Mrs. Frank McCarthy, dancing with Palmer Leigh. Others dancing were Miss Ella Buck with Gordon Smith, Miss Emma Gray White Richard Carrington, Miss Char-Miss Julia Joynes with Otis Alfriend. Miss Lucy Ford Wortham with Addi son Rennolds, Miss Sarah Hamilton with Cecil Stevens, Miss Carlie Minor with Wortham Spilman, Mrs. C. B. Lathrop with Mr. Lathrop, Miss Elsie y with Douglas Gordon, Miss Harrison with Croxton Gordon, Miss Isabelle Carter with William Miller, Miss Barbara Grigg with Robert Munford, Miss Dorothy Christian with Fred Campbell.

ballroom doors were drawn aside, old minuet announced the entrance of derfully wrought brocades and satin fashioned by a New York tailor, and were marvels of artistic needlework. Some of the most graceful and beautiful girls in society here had been chosen for the dance, and the minuet that opened the biggest ball in Richmond in years, would have

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Misa Kinsolving's Luncheon

Mrs. Arthur Kinsolving gave Tues-

Wight, Mrs. W. Hall Harris, Mrs. Har-

applause that the dancers were obliged honor guest at several smart functions

Mrs. Frederick W. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Baltimore, a small and charmingly appointed luncheon. Her guests included Mr. and Mrs. Godwin Boykin, Mr. and Mrs. David G. McIntosh, Mrs. John H. Martin, Miss Mary Williams, T. C. Wil-liams, Mr. and Mrs. Saunders Hobson, Miss Cally Ryland, Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Leigh, Jr., Evans Lindsay, Ehward Harrison, Miss Marie Isaacs, Miss Posie Meredith, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Parrish, Miss Gwendolyn Rutherfoord. Carlton McKenny, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, Miss Lettice Woodward, Miss Maxwell, Robert Jeffress, Nora Randolph Honry, Adderson Carlton McKenny, Mr. and Mrs. James Walker, Miss Lettice Woodward, Miss Dresent. Maxwell, Robert Jeffress, Nora Ran-dolph, Henry Anderson, George Morgan,

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George Washington Memorial Association Elects Officers.

VISITORS GO TO MT. VERNON

Michigan Degree Team Confers Master Mason Degree on

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Alexandria, Va., February 22.—With a big banquet at Armory Hall this evening, which was attended by President Taft and many distinguished members of the Masonic craft and 500 others, among them the majority of members of the local Masonic craft, the second annual convention of the George Washington Masonic National Memorial Association came to a close. The hall was beautifully decorazed and resplendent with lights in various colors. An elegant banquet was served. Among those who made brief addresses were President Taft and Representative C. C. Carlin and others. Charles H. Callahan, master of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons, delivered an address of welcome.

In his address at the banquet President Taft declared that although he was "so young a Mason", he hoped "to have himself a loyal brother before he died."

Declaring that he was proud to "take part in a movement to give Washington a memorial here, where he enjoyed the association of Masonry," the President praised his illustrious predecessor as the head of the nation as a "Mason, citizen, military and political genius."

"Why was it," he asked, "that Washington, not having as much genius as Hamilton, as much intellect as Jefferson, or as much power in other directions as others who were about him, yet stands out head and shoulders above them all? His sanity, judgment and remarkable personality gave him a power which was greater than that of any of the others."

Flowers for Mrs. Taft.

As President Taft was about to leave the banquet hall on his return to Washington Judge Duke, of Charlottesville, presented to him in a graceful speech a large bunch of American Beauties to present with the compilpointed luncheon. Her guests included

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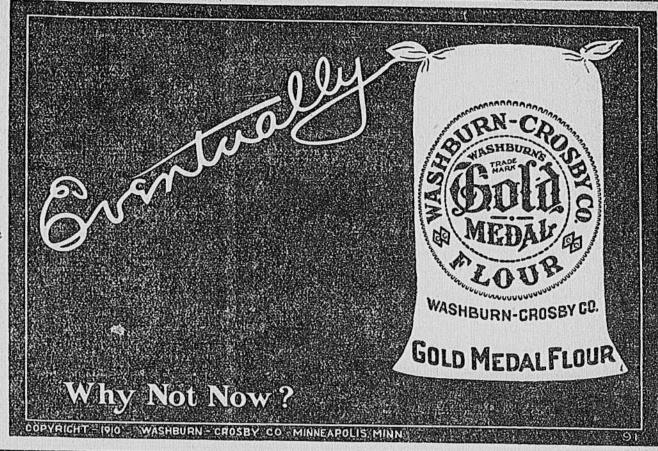
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cers who will serve for the year. Those chosen were as follows: Those J. Shryrock, grand master of Maryland, president; James M. Lamberton, senior grand deacon, Pennsylvania, first vice-president; James R. Johnson, past grand master, South Carolina, second vice-president; A. B. McGaffey, grand master, Colorado, third vice-president; G. M. Ashley, grand master, Illinois, fourth vice-president; Lawrence Lee, secretary, Alabama; J. A. Blake, treasurer, Massachusetts; Rev. W. J. Morton, chaplain, Alexandria: H. K. Field, grand junior deacon, and J. Edward Shinn, past master of Alexandria-Washington Lodge, stewards, both of Alexandria. The tiler of Alexandria-Washington Lodge, who will later be appointed, will also serve as tiler for the association.

Committees named by President Shryrock follow:

Executive—President Shryrock, Maryland, chairman; James M. Lamberton, Pennsylvania; Wyndham Stokes, West Virginia.

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Pennsylvania; Wyndham Stokes, West Virginia.
Constitution and By-Laws—J. Claude Kleper, District of Columbia: Henry Banks, Georgia; R. T. W. Duke, chairman, Virginia; A. B. McGaffey, Colorado. Before adjourning a vote of thanks was extended Alexandria-Washington Lodge for courtesies shown, Election Made Unanimous.

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Election Made Unanimous.

The election of President Shryrock, grand master of Maryland, was made unanimous, and he was escorted to the chair by Judge R. T. W. Duke, Jr., of Virginia, and was at once installed by Grand Master McChesney. The last named pointed out the objects of the association and the duties of president, admonishing him to carefully guard the interests and always endeavor to promote its welfare. A response was made by President Shryrock, who said that he realized the responsibilities of the office, and he expressed gratification at the high honor conferred on him, and determination to discharge his duties as best he could, calling upon the representatives to give him and the association their help, and to see to it that the jurisdictions they represent contribute liberally to the great and important undertaking. In conclusion he paid a compliment to those present for the treatment accorded him and also the treatment given by the local lodge of Masons.

Donation to Temple.

Clarence P. King, president of the Washington-Virginia Rullway Company, of Pennsylvania, before the meeting adjourned, made a donation of \$500 to the temple. The session was brought to a close with prayer, which was offered by Rev. W. J. Morton, rector of Christ Episcopal Church. Immediately after adjournment dinner was served the visitors at the Elks' Home, after which the delegates left on a special train at 1:30 o'clock for

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The delegation returned here at 4 o'clock, and at 4:30 o'clock a stated communication of Alexandria-Washington Lodge of Masons was held, after which—the Master Mason degree was conferred by a degree team from Michigan on William H. Pettus, of Petersburg, who is a student at the Episcopal Theological Seminary. The ceremony was witnessed by all of the delegates and a number of members of the local lodge. The degree team from Michigan wore its new uniforms for the first time in the work.

Most of the visitors left th's evening or to-night for their homes.

The business session was called to order at 10 o'clock this morning by W. B. McChesney, grand master of Masons of Virginia. In a few well chosen remarks he introduced Judge William J. Mitchell, of Port Huron, Mich., a past grand master, ninety-four years old, who is still active and a practicing lawyer.

Judge Mitchell made a fitting response, and among other things said that he felt as though he had a right to be considered a part of Virginia. The speaker declared that Michigan Masons were glad to be here at the home of Washington, to do him honor, as they claim he belonged as much to Michigan as Virginia.

President Taft arrived here at 5:30 o'clock and was given a big ovation by a crowd of several hundred, who assembled in front of the Eiks' Home. A delegation of local Masons, together with Senators Martin and Swanson and Representative Carlin, were in the party. The President witnessed the exemplification of the master degree, which took place at the Elks' Home, after which he attended the big bandret and made an address. Immediately after making his address President Taft returned to Washington. The banquet was attended by 500 Masons.

MANY VISIT MOUNT VERNON.

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Nine Hundred Citizens Make Patriotic Pligrinage.

Mount Vernon, Va., February 22.—
Upon the plain marble sarcophagus containing the body of George Washington, in the hillside tomb on the estate where the greatest American spent the final years of his life, two beautiful memorial wreaths were placed today by patriotic admirers to commemorate the 179th anniversary of his birth. The flag for which he so valiantly fought, artistically draped above the openwork from doors, and flowers and evergreens formed the only other decorations on the tomb. These were placed there by the Mount Vernon Ladies' Association of the Union, to which the country is indebted for the preservation of Washington's estate on the Potomac and for the gathering together there of hundreds of priceless relics.

Nine hundred patriotic members during the day visited and stood in silent reverence before the tomb. Among these were several hundred prominent Masons from all parts of the country. Further down the Potomac River, at Wakefield, Westmoreland county, Va, near where Washington was born, citizens of the vicinity appropriately celebrated the day.

MASONS OBSERVE DAY.

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Entertainment is Followed by Banquet.
Several Addresses Made.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch,]
Fredericksburg, Va., February 22.—
Washington's Birthday was observed

Suspend Academic Duties.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Lexington, Va., February 22.—Washington's Birthday was observed here
by suspension of academic duties at
the Virginia Military Institute, Washington and Lee University and the public schools, and by the closing of banks
and public buildings. The Washington and
Literary Society of Washington and
Lee University held its ninety-ninth
annual celebration to-night in Lee Memorial Chapel.

Durham, N. C., February 22.—Tonight, in the Craven Memorial Hall, befors a large and appreciative audience,
Judge Jeter C. Pritchard, of the United
States Circuit Court of Appeals, Richmond, delivered one of the best and
most timely addresses heard here in
many years. The occasion was that of
Civic Celebration an event that has
been observed at Trinity for a number of years. Judge Pritchard had as
the theme for his address "Good Citizenship." Asphyxlated in Bathtub.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Newport News, Va., February 22.—
George Williamson a young maring engineer, employed at the shipyard, was found dead in the bathtub at his home

Howell—Hunt.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Danville, Va., February 22.—Miss
Eva W. Hunt, of this city, and D. W.
Howell, of Roanoke, were married here to-night at 9 o'clock in the Chris-

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